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OFFERING SIMULTANEOUS PLAY OF
MULTIPLE GAMES AND METHODS OF
GAMING**(52) **U.S. Cl. 463/16**(57) **ABSTRACT**(76) **Inventors: Lee E. Cannon, Bozeman, MT (US);
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Gaming apparatus and methods of conducting a wagering game of chance. A gaming machine is disclosed which is configured for mutually concurrent play of a plurality of games of chance on a single display screen. A method of conducting a wagering activity includes providing a player with a plurality of differing games of chance, at least some of which are mutually concurrently playable on a single screen display of a gaming device and enabling mutually concurrent play of the plurality of differing games of chance on the single screen display. Various other gaming machine configurations and methods of play related to multiple differing games of chance on a single display screen are also disclosed herein. Networked gaming machines are also disclosed.

